

# WILSON IS TO FILE CONTEST

## Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor

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### Arkansas Gains With Nation

#### Hope Runs Ahead of Average

Arkansas gained 5.1 per cent on the 1940 census, the Bureau of the Census reported Wednesday. The state's population in 1930 was 1,854,482. Today is it 1,948,268. And this gain compares favorably with Southern States to the east of us, though having more large cities than Arkansas — and it is notable that in recent decades the great population increases have been in or around the cities.

## Hungary Meets Resistance in Transylvania

### More Than 150 Hungarian- Rumanian Peasants Killed

SATU-MARE, Transylvania — (AP) — Hungary's regent, Admiral Nicholas Horthy, set the Hungarian army into a Transylvanian city early Thursday beginning occupation of the war-torn territory that Hungary regained by the Blanka of Germany and Italy. Reports reaching Bucharest said that more than 150 Hungarian and Rumanian peasants were slain in armed clashes in the border town Sighet as the Hungarian army marched into northwestern Transylvania.

Death Legion Organized  
CLUJ, Transylvania — (AP) — Unconfirmed reports from the Transylvanian border Thursday said that 3,500 demobilized Rumanian soldiers had volunteered for membership in a "death legion" to resist the Hungarian occupation of territory.

Rule Handed Over  
BUCHAREST — (AP) — Haggard from the struggle to preserve his dismembered anarchy-riven realm, King Carol surrendered his vast powers of state Thursday to a new strong man and was authoritatively reported to have consented to the banishment of red-haired Magda Lupescu. Carol signed a public declaration which was a clear acknowledgment that the essence rule had changed hand to General Ion Antonescu. Antonescu proclaimed a nationalistic program "to heal wounds, collect our strength and to assure our future."

## He'll Need a Ladder to Harvest His Cotton

HOLLY SPRINGS, Miss. — (AP) — Experimenting in 1937, Farmer Abner Hill planted a tiny packet of a new type of seed someone gave him. Four huge stalks of cotton, one with 125 bolls, came up. He picked four pounds from the stalks and saved the seed, Hill reported.

By this year, Hill had saved enough seed to plant 166 acres. The young cotton is already six feet tall and covered with bolls. The average mature stalk stands about three feet high and has 10 bolls.

Scientists are learning to use cockroaches instead of rats in various kinds of research work.

### A Thought

What is human sin but the abuse of human appetites, of human passions, of human faculties in themselves all innocent?—R. D. Hitchcock.

### CRANIUM CRACKERS

The Presidency .....  
With the national presidential election coming on, this is a good time to refresh your memory on the presidency. Here are five questions; how many of them can you answer?

1. May any citizen of the United States be elected president?
  2. Is there an age limit on the presidency? If so, what is it?
  3. What is the president's salary?
  4. If the electoral college fails to elect a president in the event of a tie or failure of one candidate to receive a majority, how is the president chosen?
  5. Have the president and vice president always been members of the same party?
- Answers on Comic Page

## Huge Parade to Open Fair Here Tuesday

### More Than 65 Floats and Many Riders Will Participate

More than a mile-long parade for the Hempstead County Free Fair, to be held here September 9-14, was doubly assured Thursday when three more local firms sponsored floats and many riders agreed to participate. Approximately 65 floats had previously entered.

The parade will officially open the Free Fair here, and will begin uptown at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, ending at Fair park.

The air board announced that Wednesday, September 11, would be School Day and all rides and side-shows will be reduced to 5 until 6 o'clock that afternoon. Hundreds of school children are expected to attend that day.

An advance show arrived in the De La Lang show arrived in the Fair Thursday and will advertise the fair in every community within a 30-mile radius.

All county clubs and livestock owners and state and federal agencies will have exhibits and plan to aid in many ways. Several merchants have already reserved commercial exhibit space.

One of the features of the Fair, besides the many shows, exhibits and other entertainments, is the patriotic pageant sponsored by the John B. Rogers Producing Co. which will be presented three nights during the fair.

The Pageant, "America on Parade" is directed by Miss Martha Jean Robinson and will have a cast of 300 local people.

Those who will enter additional floats are:  
Union Compress Co., Arkansas Louisiana Gas Co. and Saenger and Rialto Theaters.

Riders who will also participate in the parade are: John Barlow, Tom Wardlow, Sweeney Copeland, Leo Robins, Aubrey Collier, Frank McLarty, Mrs. Howard Byers, Sara Jane Murphy, Buddy Bowden, O. Cook, Jack Wray, Terrell Cornelius, Dr. P. B. Carrigan, Buddy Sutton, Marian Smith, Evelyn Murphy, Martha Ann Alexander, Doris Urrey, Betty Methbin, Frances Bruner, Mrs. Ellington, Mrs. Tom McLarty, Mrs. Rufus Herndon, Dr. J. W. Branch, Lloyd KKnard, Rufus Herndon, Jr., John Sparks, James Kent of Patmos, Milo Sheppard of Patmos.

Other who expect to participate in the parade are asked to get in touch with Mrs. Leon Bundy.

## Single Term Is Advocated

### Drift Toward One- Man Government Is Observed

WASHINGTON — (AP) — The idea of limiting presidential terms by a constitutional amendment was advocated Wednesday by Thomas Jefferson Colledge, a former administration official. Dr. William Alfred Eddy, who said he was a New Deal Democrat, and James Truslow Adams, historian.

Views of all three were presented at a hearing before a senate judiciary subcommittee headed by Senator Burke (Dem., Neb.) a third-term foe and author of an amendment to limit tenure of any president to a single term of six years.

Colledge, a Boston banker who was undersecretary of the Treasury in the early days of the Roosevelt administration, urged such a limitation as Burke proposed to offset a great increase in executive power which he said might be used "to perpetuate the ruler."

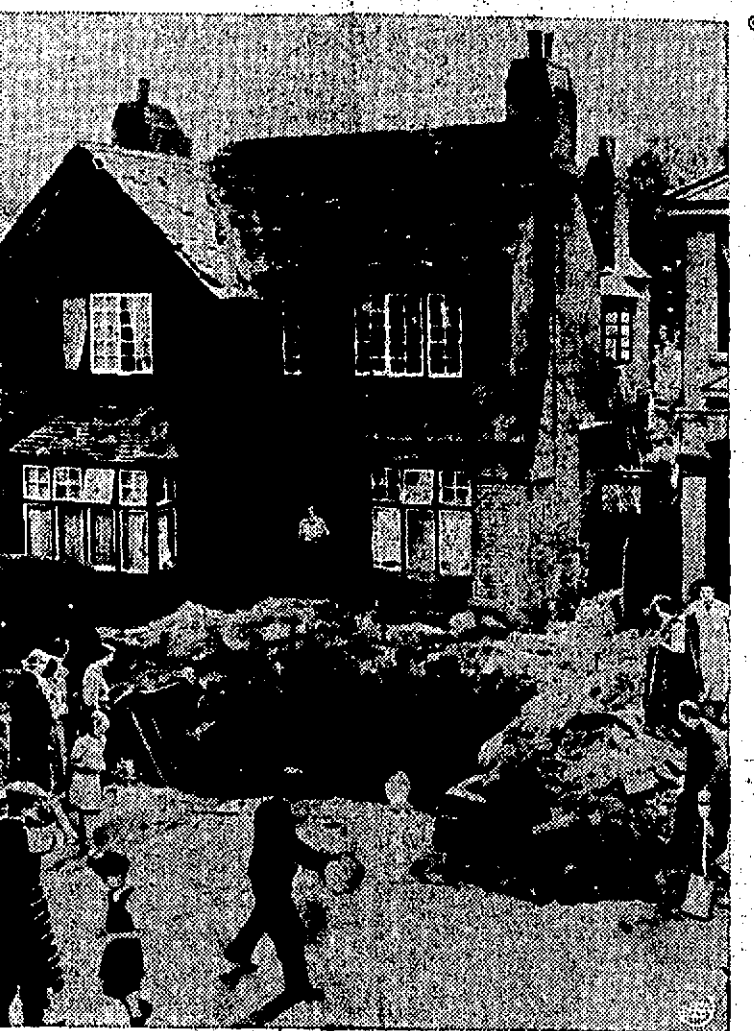
"We have seen definite and open steps taken to extend the power of the executive over that of congress and of the Supreme Court even to the point of interference in state elections and in attempting to appoint additional judges," he declared.

Senator Burke read into the record a statement by Adams, the historian, urging an amendment limiting presidential tenure to two four-year terms. While saying he did not believe President Roosevelt wanted to "play the role of dictator," Adams said the limitation would be wise in view of a world tide "toward one-man government."

### COTTON

NEW YORK — (AP) — December cotton opened at 9.38 and closed at 9.37-38. Middling spot at 9.88.

## Britain's Royal Air Force Facing Odds Like Those the Finns Faced



How'd you like to find this in your front yard? It's a crater made by a Nazi bomb landing in a London suburb. Note loosened shingles on house. Morale of children and housewives apparently is holding up.



Against a peaceful backdrop of the English countryside, British troops remove the unopened parachute of a Messerschmitt pilot. While strain on British pilots is terrific, their German opponents are having no holidays.

## Columbus to Open Schools

### 1940-41 Faculty List Is Announced Thursday

Columbus High School will open Monday, Sept. 9, at 8 a. m. After classification which will be completed by the noon hour, the students will leave for home.

The 1940-41 faculty is as follows:  
High school teachers—Hugh Bristow, Principal, English; Forney Holt, Mathematics and General Science; Miss Mary Gammill, Social Science.

The grammar school teachers are Mrs. R. C. Reed, First and Second grades; Mrs. Forney Holt, Third and Fourth grades; and Miss Dorothy Stophs, Fifth and Sixth grades.

### Not Patented, Either

WINCHESTER, Va. — (AP) — None of this solar theory or fish calendar stuff for Lee Dick. He wants to know when the fish will bite. Dick stocked a pool at his home with bass. When he dangles choice morsels, says hooks, and they bite, he goes fishing. If they ignore the offering, he postpones his trip.

The lord mayor of London spends between \$100,000 and \$150,000 annually in maintaining the dignity and hospitality of his office.

## U. S. Warning Given Japan

### Japs Must Not Send Troops Into Indo-China

WASHINGTON — (AP) — The United States government called on Japan Wednesday to keep out of French Indo-China, where authorities were reported resisting a virtual ultimatum that Japanese troops be allowed passage for an attack on South China.

Secretary of State Hull asserted in a public statement it was a "matter to which this government attaches importance. Reminding Japan of its recent statement that the principle of the status quo in the Pacific should be respected, Secretary Hull said that if events proved the ultimatum reports to be well-founded "the effect upon public opinion in the United States would be unfortunate."

His statement resulted from reports indicating that a clash might be imminent between Japanese and French Indo-China troops, possibly supported by Chinese troops of Gen. Chiang Kai-Shek. Papan was reported to have demanded passage for troops across Indo-China and use of bases there for military operations against China.

French Indo-China authorities were said to have rejected the original ultimatum which reports said was followed by a less sweeping one.

## Badly Outnumbered Air Force Britain's "Man- nerheim Line"

By PAUL MANNING  
NEA Service Staff Correspondent  
LONDON — The Battle of Britain has not yet been won by England. New German air strategy of increasing pressure on the Royal Air Force by day and staging lightning raids on industrial plants by night has been taking its toll.

Airdromes from the coast to the Midlands have been damaged. A portion of Britain's factory production has temporarily slumped, due to loss of sleep caused by air raid alarms.

But because the R. A. F. has responded with a magnificent brand of fighting frequently smashing German air formations when the odds were more than four to one—English optimism remains good though perturbed.

One official communique relates with pride the feat of a Hurricane patrol that took on a formation of 15 bombers surrounded by 70 to 100 Messerschmitt fighters.

This is splendid bravery and good fighting, but the constant numerical inferiority in nearly every air battle shows the disadvantages confronting a country on the defensive.

The whole setup at present resembles to some extent the situation when inland was fighting against odds.

The Royal Air Force is England's Mannerheim Line and if it is broken Britain may lose the war. For if 27 German planes can do 15 years of damage to Rotterdam in nine minutes, then London and every large city in this small island can be smashed to the ground in an equal number of minutes by 5000 planes if unopposed.

Not that the Royal Air Force is on the verge of defeat.

To date it has taken a heavy toll in Germany, answering the bombing of London. The R. A. F. unloaded explosives on Berlin factories for the bombing of the Midland factories. It dropped 15 tons of bombs on the Junkers factory at Dessau and smashed the great oil refineries but a few miles from Berlin's spacious Ufer Den Linden.

But the Luftwaffe is coming over in large numbers with greater frequency these days and forcing the limited number of British pilots to spend more and more hours in the air.

Starting with the airfields protecting the coastal towns the Germans are endeavoring to bomb every air-drome they can reach in a move to force abandonment.

Last week I saw 21 German bombers wheel in from the North Sea and bomb an R. A. F. air-drome. The Germans lost three planes but flew back over across the Channel with 18 a fair return in war for releasing 35 high explosives on an airfield.

Night Raids Disturb London

That these attacks on bases, sources of supply and population centers are having an effect on the civilian population by causing loss of sleep is the gist of an article in the Lon-

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## State Gain in Population 5%

### Arkansas' 1940 Population Figure 1,948,268

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Arkansas's population gain of 5.1 per cent was slightly below the average increase of 5.9 per cent for the east south central states, the Census Bureau announced Wednesday.

This tabulation showed the population of Arkansas as 1,948,268 with 49 of the state's 75 counties reporting increases. Changes from 10 years ago ranged from a decrease of 17.6 per cent in Montgomery county to an increase of 26.8 per cent in Poinsett county.

El Dorado, with a decrease of 3.5 per cent was the only one of Arkansas's nine cities of 10,000 population showing a decrease. Fort Smith, with an increase of 16.3 per cent, had the largest gain. Little Rock with 88,129 residents, had a 7.9 per cent increase.

Other State Populations.  
Figures for the East South Central region, giving the states' 1940 populations and percentage gain since 1930:

Kentucky, 2,839,927, 8.6 per cent.  
Tennessee, 2,910,992, 11.3 per cent.  
Alabama, 2,830,285, 7 per cent.  
Mississippi, 2,381,763, 8.6 per cent.

## Talking to Himself a Costly Luxury

TOLEDO, O. — (AP) — Roland Buehrer, assistant police prosecutor held a conversation with himself in court. It cost him \$1.

"Roland Buehrer," he said, "you are charged with violating a traffic ordinance, parking a car with improper lighting. Are you guilty or not guilty?"

"Guilty," he answered himself. When asked by the judge if he recommended that he be fined, he said he thought so.

## Miss Hendrix Still Leads

### Queen's Contest to Close Satur- day Afternoon

Miss Rose Marie Hendrix continued to lead in the Fair Queen's Contest Thursday with a total vote of 2,095.

Miss Dorothy Henry is in second place with 1,950 votes, followed by Miss Elizabeth Hendrix with 1,780 votes.

The contest will close Saturday afternoon at 6:30 final tabulations will be made.

The winner will preside over the patriotic pageant, "America on Parade" which is to be presented three nights during fair week, and will also head the mile long parade on a special queen's float.

The standing follows:  
Rose Marie Hendrix ..... 2,095  
Dorothy Henry ..... 1,950  
Elizabeth Hendrix ..... 1,780  
Daphne Rowland ..... 1,330  
Carolyn Triebble ..... 1,280  
Martha Weddle ..... 1,185  
Frances Huett ..... 880  
Grace Martin ..... 845  
Doris Webb ..... 455  
Adell Johnson ..... 435  
Martha Ann Singleton ..... 325

## Kill 2 More Convicts

### Refuse to Surrender After Being Surrounded

LITTLE ROCK — (AP) — Surrounded just before dawn in a small southeast Arkansas plantation cabin, two more of the 36 convicts who escaped from Cummins prison farm on labor day, died under a hail of bullets when they resisted capture by a posse of prison guards Thursday.

The convicts were James Scott, 21 and Raymond 24. Another escapee, B. G. Holtzclaw, 47, under life sentence for murder was captured asleep only a half mile from the scene of the break.

Killings and capture reduced to 11 the number of escapes still at large.

Governor Defends System  
LITTLE ROCK — (AP) — Defending the trusty convict guard system employed by the Arkansas penitentiary farms for more than 30 years, Governor Bailey said Thursday that it was "absurd" to blame this system for the Labor day break of 36 from Cummins farm.

Bailey said it was "just one of those things—where they thought they could run off."

## British Sink Nazi Trooper

### 4,000 Germans Are Drowned on Way to Norway

STOCKHOLM — (AP) — The newspaper Dagens Nyheter reported Wednesday night that most of about 4,000 German troops aboard a transport en route to Norway had drowned in the Kattegat when a British submarine torpedoed the vessel to the bottom. The paper's report was from its correspondent at Lysekil, near Goteborg.

The transport, identified as the Marion of Hanburg, was sunk Monday night, the dispatch said, adding that Swedish and Danish fishermen were witnesses. The Marion was reported en route from Germany under a convoy of two armed trawlers and a destroyer. When a torpedo, the dispatch said, the Marion was hit amidships. Ships escorting the Marion saved no more than 100 of the soldiers aboard, it was reported.

It was rumored, without confirmation, that another vessel had been torpedoed two weeks ago.

## Court Hearing on Judgeship Expected Soon

### Assures Protest to Be Filed; Now Checking Poll Tax List

John L. Wilson, candidate for county judge, defeated by a margin of nine votes, announced Thursday that he would file a formal protest of the election with the circuit court soon.

A check of the poll tax list against receipts issued is now in progress at the circuit court office.

Mr. Wilson will be represented by Attorneys George Steel of Nashville, Steve Carrigan and Graves of Graves of Hope.

"You can tell the public that its one big mess," Mr. Wilson said.

The official canvass by the county central committee gave Fred Luck a nine-vote margin over Wilson, overturning the results of the unofficial count, which had given Wilson a three-vote lead.

The controversy started when Luck's attorney, John P. Vesey, presented affidavits of seven Rocky Mount citizens saying they had voted for Luck before the Contest Committee meeting. The unofficial tabulation showed that Luck had received only four votes in that box. The committee voted to open and recount the ballots. The official count gave Luck 8 votes.

In addition to the Rocky Mount box recount, Wilson lost five votes in the official canvass of Hope Ward 1-A and Luck lost one vote when the Fulton box was officially counted.

The official count stood, as certified by the Central Committee and the Democratic Convention:

Luck ..... 2,162  
Wilson ..... 2,153

## Aged Prescott Woman Dies

### Mrs. D. F. McCargo Succumbs in Louisiana

Mrs. D. F. McCargo, 68, of Prescott, died at the home of her daughter Mrs. C. F. Brooks, at Rodessa, La., where she was visiting.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at the Mt. Olive church in Wat-erloo.

She is survived by a son, P. E. McCargo of Bodcaw, one brother S. H. Warmack of Hope and one sister Mrs. J. D. Parker of Prescott.

## Vesey Talks on Refunding

### Urges Voters to Consider Well Before Ballot

Attorney John P. Vesey, principal speaker at the regular meeting of the Kiwanis club at Hotel Barlow Wednesday, reminded the club that the state of Arkansas still owed 137 million dollars worth of callable bonds and that only 244 million had been paid to retire this debt since 1924.

"Although defeat caused Gov. Bailey to drop his refunding bill it will still remain on the ticket to be voted on in November and many voters do not really know what they are voting for," he continued.

Mr. Vesey outlined three principal points that the people will be voting for: 1. To set aside a fund for the maintenance of roads; 2. To set up revenue for the retirement of the indebtedness and 3. Give the governor the right to appoint his own board. Under this last condition he pointed out that the governor could refund at any rate he wants to provided it does not exceed the present rate and nobody could question his authority to do so.

"The people of Arkansas pay the highest taxes on gasoline and motor license in the U. S.," he stated, "and if the refunding is handled right there is no reason why it can't be lowered and for the state to build concrete roads and highways too."

He urged the people to carefully study the bill before passing on it. Other guests of the club were R. P. Bowen and the Rev. Mr. Barnes.

It is said that all bears are born during the winter.







# SOCIETY

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## Social Calendar

**Thursday, September 5th**  
Luncheon at the Barlow for the members of the garden clubs, 12:30 o'clock. First joint meeting of the Rose, Iris, Azalea, Gardenia, and Lilac clubs. Mrs. Laura D. Cole of Granis will be the guest speaker.

The PatClabourne Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy will meet at the home of the president, Mrs. Fannie Garrett, on East 2nd street, 3 o'clock. The program for September, as is the annual U. D. C. custom, will be a memorial to Taphel Semmes. This being the last meeting of the year, business concerning the work of the coming year will be brought before the chapter. A full attendance is urged.

Mrs. James R. Henry has named Mrs. Thompson Evans Jr., honoree at a bridge-linen shower, 3 o'clock.

Hope chapter, 328, Order of the Eastern Star, the Masonic hall, 8 o'clock.

**Friday, September 6th**  
Miss Mary Bell Marshall will be presented in a piano recital, city hall, 8 o'clock.

Senior Home Economics girls meet with Miss Ruth Taylor for the purpose of starting home projects for the ensuing year, the Home Economics cottage, 9:30 a. m.

Cemetery Association will meet at the city hall in the Council room. Since this is the first meeting of the autumn season, a full attendance is urged by the president, Mrs. W. G. Allison, 3:30 p. m.

Mrs. Minette Fort of Texarkana will meet with persons interested in dramatic work at the city hall, 10 a. m.

**Monday, September 9th**  
Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church, meet at the church for "Royal Service" program. Circle No. 2 will be in charge of the program.

Business Women's circle of the W. M. S. of the First Baptist church home of Mrs. Henry Haynes, 7:30 p. m.

**Luncheon at the Barlow for Mrs. Thompson Evans, Jr.**  
A lovely luncheon of the week was given by Mrs. Royce Smith and Mrs. Jim Case of Camden on Wednesday at the Barlow. Mrs. Thompson Evans Jr. was named honoree at the delightful affair.

The color of yellow predominated in the centerpiece that was arranged in a crystal bowl placed on a mirror plaque and surrounded by similar.

Seated around the circular table were the following: Mrs. Thompson Evans, Jr., Mrs. R. B. Herndon Jr., Mrs. Nallion Wylie, Mrs. Frank Barr, Mrs. Hendrix Spraggins, Miss Hap-py Pritchard, Mrs. George Robinson, Mrs. Roy Anderson, Mrs. Thompson Evans, Mrs. Jim Case, and Mrs. Royce Smith.

The hostesses presented the honoree with a dainty gift.

**Theatre Party for Miss Betty Jean Laseter**  
Miss Jean Laseter and Mr. and Mrs. Webb Laseter Sr. complimented Miss Betty Jean Laseter of Little Rock with a picture show party on Tuesday afternoon. Several young friends were invited and after seeing the movie, the guests were invited to a local tea room for delicious refreshments.

**Circle No. 2 of the W. S. C. S. Has Picnic at Park**  
After a brief business session, the members of Circle No. 2 of the W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist church dispensed with the afternoon by playing a number of games directed by Mrs. J. A. Henry.

A bountiful picnic supper was served to twenty members present and one guest.

**Mrs. R. E. Henderson Entertains Her Club**  
Mrs. R. E. Henderson arranged two tables for her guests on Tuesday afternoon when she chose that time to entertain the members of the Tuesday Contract bridge club.

After several interesting games, prizes were awarded to Mrs. William Johnson and Mrs. Harold Hobson.

During the afternoon the hostess served sandwiches with "cakes" to the guests.

**Hope People Attend R. R. Cornelius Reunion at Fulton**  
On Sunday, September 1st, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Cornelius invited the members of their family to a 12 o'clock dinner at the home in Fulton.

The guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Urvic Autrey and children, Urvic Jr. and Mary Ann, Mrs. Mary Fortune, and Mrs. Sally Kindell, all of Shreveport, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Poe and daughter, May June, of Eastland, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Poe and son, Bobby, of Carbon, Texas, Mrs. Harold Lawrence, Mrs. Truitt Simmons and children, Carlton and Barbara June, and Homer Clapp, all of Texarkana, Earl Hendrix of Idabel, Dr. and Mrs. Hugh Hymen and son, Hugh Jr. of Arkadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Park and Miss Ada Carlton, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Park of McCannine, Miss Viola Burgen of Monticello, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. King and children, Mildred and Carlton, of Hope, Paul Cornelius and children Mary Lou and Ruby Sue, Mrs. Lou White, all of Fulton, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Carlton of Warrin, Cleve Burton Jr. and KKing Burton of Arkansas, Louisiana.

The afternoon callers were: Mr. and Mrs. Tervell Cornelius, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Herndon Sr. and grandchildren, Jenny Lou and Rufus Herndon III, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davis and granddaughter, Jean Chamberlain, all of Hope, Mrs. Harry Walker and children, Buddy Walker, Dorris Mae, Henry Ed, and Miss Dorothy Dunn of Texarkana.

**Bridal Shower for Mrs. Coy Nolen**  
Mrs. Coy Nolen, who was Miss Ann Bastick until her marriage on Sunday, August 11, was honored at a bridal shower at the home of Mrs. J. W. Bostick. Games were played and prizes went to the honoree. The honoree received many gifts. Refreshments were served late in the afternoon. Those present were Mrs. Nolan, Mrs. J. W. Bostick, Mrs. Georgia Bostick, Mrs. H. E. Philip Ward, Mrs. Bob Bonds, Mrs. Sanford Bonds, Mrs. Chester Stephens, Mrs. Will Spears, Mrs. Tom Davis, Mrs. Laura Denney, Mrs. Mack Euzbee, Mrs. Herman Brown, Mrs. Thalia Nolan, Miss Nell Bostick, Miss Martha Martin, Miss Betty Jo Spears, Miss Ida Bob Davis and Miss Lois Nolan.

## Personal Mention

Charles Crutchfield, Paul Waddle, Billy Mosley of Camden, and Robert Turner of Prescott have returned from a pleasant vacation trip to New Orleans and other Louisiana points of interest. They also motored to Pensacola, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Butler of New-elton, Louisiana are visiting friends and relatives in Hope and Washington this week.

John Paul Sanders has returned from a pleasant visit with his sister Mrs. J. Proctor Hill, and Mr. Hill in El Dorado.

Pershing Floyd has as guests this week, Watson Faulk of Magnet Cove, Arkansas.

Mrs. W. G. Allison will leave this week end for Longview, Texas, where she will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Slack.

Mrs. Clyde Hill and daughter, Miss Nancy Hill have had as guests Mrs. Charles Collins and son David Collins of Hot Springs.

Rooting for the "Reddies" at Henderson State Teachers College in Arkadelphia this year will be Miss Nell Louise Broyles. She will leave this weekend.

Mrs. Hattie Penney of Little Rock is the guest of her many friends in the city.

Mrs. S. L. Murphy left Thursday for Russellville to take her son, LeRoy Murphy, to enter Arkansas Tech. They were accompanied by Tommy Turner.

Friends will regret to know that Mrs. Dick Forester is seriously ill at the Tri-State hospital in Shreveport.

Garrett Story Jr., left this week for Los Angeles, California, where he will enter the Anderson Aircraft School.

Miss Rosa Harrie left Wednesday night for San Antonio, where she will visit with friends and relatives.

Born to Mrs. and Mrs. Calvin Barnes of Ozan, Wednesday, September 4, an 8-1-2 pound daughter, at the home of Mrs. Barnes parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hendrix, Hope. Mother and daughter are doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Floyd and daughter, Louise, of Little Rock and Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Peritt of Monroe, Louisiana have returned to their homes after a visit with Mrs. J. R. Floyd and family.

Harry Crow Jr. has returned to his home in Little Rock after a pleasant visit with his aunt, Mrs. E. O. Wingfield, and Mr. Wingfield.

Leaving Sunday for her second year at Henderson State Teachers college in Arkadelphia will be Miss Jane Carter. She will join her sister, Miss Mary Nell Carter, who will be the secretary to the business manager at college.

Friends of Miss Lucille Ruggles will be happy to know that she is recovering from a very serious illness, and has been removed to her home from a Shreveport hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Billingsley and Mr. and Mrs. William McGill of Lewisville motored to Little Rock Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Briant Billingsley.

Mrs. R. S. Powell is the guest of Texarkana friends this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. A. Snyder had as week-end guests: Mrs. John Merkel of Edwardsville, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lampe of Granite City, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Schwehr and children of Highland, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cumbie announce the arrival of a baby boy on Thursday, September 5th. The baby has been named James Ray Cumbie.

Joseph Floyd is spending this week with his father, Joe Floyd, in El Dorado.

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## Arkansas Schedule and Co-Captains



A. J. YATES

## 1940 Razorback Schedule

Sept. 26—Central Okla. Teachers at Fayetteville  
Oct. 5—Texas Christian U. at Fort Worth  
Oct. 12—Baylor University at Fayetteville  
Oct. 19—University of Texas at Little Rock  
Oct. 26—University of Mississippi at Memphis  
Nov. 2—Texas A. & M. at College Station  
Nov. 9—Rice Institute at Fayetteville (Homecoming)  
Nov. 16—Southern Methodist U. at Dallas  
Nov. 21—(Thursday)—Fordham U. at New York  
Nov. 28—(Thursday)—U. of Tulsa at Tulsa



HOWARD HICKEY

## 'My Favorite Wife' Comedy Starring Irene Dunn, Cary Grant

A sparkling treatment of the Enoch Arden story is the delightful basis of "My Favorite Wife," soon coming to the Sengster Theatre with Irene Dunn and Cary Grant in the stellar roles.

Described as a sophisticated entertainment bristling with refreshing comedy from the opening scene to the final fade-out, "My Favorite Wife" has Miss Dunn, portraying Grant's wife, returning from a scientific exploration which met a sea disaster in which all members were declared lost. Her return is welcomed by Grant with astonishment, joy and apprehension—because he weeds and leaves on his second honeymoon that very day.

By clever connivance, Grant manages to keep the news of Irene's return from wife No. 2. He immediately packs up the kissless bride, leaves the honeymoon hotel, and goes home—where he again meets Irene, now posing as an old friend of the family.

The plot introduces a handsome explorer with whom Irene spent her seven-year absence on a South Sea island, who now wants to marry her; all of which leads to a double skimming along the romantic front—wife vs. bride for Grant, and explorer vs. Grant for Irene—which builds up to the whirlwind climax after a sparkling stream of exhilarating comedy and exciting romance.

"My Favorite Wife" offers rare opportunity for comedy expression to Miss Dunn and Grant. In the featured brackets, Randolph Scott and Gail Patrick, as the explorer and bride, top an excellent support which includes Ann Shoemaker, Donald MacBride, Granville Bates and two youngsters, Scotty Beckett and Mary Lou Harrington. A production by Leo ("The Awful Truth," "Love Affair") McCarrey, "My Favorite Wife" was directed by Garson Kanin, famed for his "A Man to Remember," "The Great Man Votes" and "Bachelor Mother." Bella and Samuel Spevack of "Boy Meets Girl" fame authored the screenplay for this RKO Radio Picture.

time, as seats become available.

Busiest man in Washington is Representative Joe Martin, Wilkie's campaign manager. From 8 until noon he sees callers at the office of the Republican National Committee; from midday until the house adjourns, he devotes himself to his job as minority floor leader. After that appointments crowd his schedule right up to 11 o'clock, Joe's bedtime.

## Speech Training for Wilkie?

Wendell Wilkie will make a few formal speeches, possibly not more than half a dozen between now and November. But he will make more rear platform speeches than any candidate in history yet present plans are followed. He'll start southwest after his next speech in Kansas, then head northward along the west coast, eventually getting around to every corner of the country.

Party strategists are undecided whether to turn a speech expert loose on Wilkie, or let him slur a sentence now and then as nature. Some of them think the average voter who splits an occasional infertile himself feels closer to a candidate whose grammar and diction aren't always letter-perfect.

Senators Bridges, Vandenberg and Taft will sit on the speakers' bench, and be called out to help complete team play in their own states. Plans are to send Tom Dewey to the big cities where "machine" politics must be reckoned with.

Eighty eggs are required in spatt kaka, a Swedish cake, in which potato flour and sugar are the only other ingredients.

## Bruce Catton Says:

By BRUCE CATTON, NEA Washington Correspondent

## Proposed Profits Tax Less Drastic Than Britain's

WASHINGTON — Maybe congress isn't as bold as the British Parliament. Maybe American businessmen, not confronted by actual war, are not as amenable as British industrialists.

At any rate, congress and business are at loggerheads over an excess profits tax on defense materials which is far less drastic than that in effect in Britain.

The levy originally proposed in the House was anywhere from 25 to 40 per cent on profits in excess of those earned in an earlier basic period. It was proposed that this earnings credit should be computed by taking three of the four years 1936-39 inclusive.

But now the Ways and Means Committee suggests companies should compute their earnings by taking all figures for the years 1936-39 inclusive.

## British Tax 100 Per Cent

In Great Britain last June the Chancellor of the Exchequer presented a bill levying a tax of 100 per cent on all profits greater than those earned in so-called standard years—mainly the three years before the war.

Provision was made for specific cases where this tax would have worked genuine hardship. Where companies could show very small previous earnings, they were granted the right to from 6 to 8 per cent profit on invested capital before the excess profits levy was imposed.

The House Ways and Means Committee is considering a similar plan, allowing a 4 to 6 per cent profit on investment before levying the war profits tax.

Virtually no firms in Britain refused to accept war work. Grim necessity and patriotism ruled. But if they had refused, it is probable the Churchill government would have found ways of compelling them to conform.

Draft Debate Draws Crowd  
Senate conscription debate continues a sell-out performance. The air-cooled Tigers run across the plat. Hank Greenberg and Bruce Campbell also homered off Feller before he surrendered at the end of the seventh after allowing Detroit 11 hits.

## Gehring Leads Offense

Heroes of the Tiger victory were a couple of old-timers—Pitcher Lynnwood Rowe and Second Baseman Charley Gehring. Rowe allowed seven scattered hits in gaining his thirteenth victory of the year. He has lost only three games. Gehring hit a homer and a double that sent four Tigers runs across the plat.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cumbie announce the arrival of a baby boy on Thursday, September 5th. The baby has been named James Ray Cumbie.

Joseph Floyd is spending this week with his father, Joe Floyd, in El Dorado.

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Nashville	97	47	.674
Atlanta	91	55	.623
Memphis	77	69	.527
New Orleans	70	77	.476
Chattanooga	69	77	.473
Birmingham	68	79	.463
Little Rock	57	87	.396
Knoxville	56	94	.373

**Wednesday's Results**  
Knoxville 6, Little Rock 5 (10 innings)  
Atlanta 7, Birmingham 6  
Nashville 5, Memphis 4  
Chattanooga 1, New Orleans 0.

**Games Thursday**  
Little Rock at Knoxville.  
Atlanta at Birmingham.  
Chattanooga at New Orleans.  
Memphis at Nashville.

## National League

Teams	W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland	75	53	.586
Detroit	73	57	.562
New York	71	59	.549
Boston	70	60	.538
Chicago	66	62	.516
Washington	55	73	.430
St. Louis	55	76	.420
Philadelphia	47	76	.382

**Wednesday's Results**  
Boston 6-5, Philadelphia 5-4.  
Detroit 7, Cleveland 2.  
St. Louis 4, Chicago 1.  
Washington 6, New York 5.

**Games Thursday**  
Cleveland at Detroit.  
New York at Washington.  
Philadelphia at Boston.  
St. Louis at Chicago.  
Cincinnati 12, 48, 641.

## American League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn	73	53	.579
St. Louis	65	59	.524
Pittsburgh	64	60	.516
New York	62	63	.496
Chicago	63	68	.481
Boston	54	73	.425
Philadelphia	41	82	.333

**Thursday's Results**  
Boston 2, New York 0.  
Brooklyn 3, Philadelphia 0.  
Cincinnati 3, Pittsburgh 0 (12 innings).  
St. Louis 4, Chicago 2.

**Games Thursday**  
Boston at New York.  
Chicago at St. Louis.  
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati.  
Only games scheduled.

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## SHOWER SPRINGS

Miss Lucille Ruggles is a patient in the Tri-State Hospital of Shreveport. Her many friends will rejoice to know that she is recovering from her illness.

Leslie Day and family of Richardson, Texas, were week-end guests of the Aaron family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Laseter of Waco, Texas, and Mrs. Hoyett Laseter and children of Shreveport spent the past week with their grandfather John Laseter and wife and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Wash Laseter and children of Shreveport, La., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Laseter. Mary Sue Phillips of Spring Hill also was a guest in the Laseter home.

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## Rowe Defeats Indians 7-2

Is Third Time Feller Has Lost to Detroit

DETROIT — (P)—Fireballer Bobby Feller may be the No. 1 annoyance of the rest of the American League but to the Detroit Tigers of 1940 he's a pitching "cousin" whose Sunday throw is a nice home run ball.

With the assistance of three homers, the Tigers defeated Feller and the pacesetter Cleveland Indians, 7 to 2, Wednesday, regaining second place and moving to within three games of the Tribesmen.

Feller now has lost eight games while winning 23 and three of his losses have been to the Tigers, who played Wednesday with a patched up lineup because of a string of injuries. Bobby has defeated Detroit twice.

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**Into the Fold**

MEMPHIS, Tenn. —(P)—The minister of a country church near here was beginning his sermon when a commotion outside caused him to pause. Into the front door and down the aisle trooped a herd of goats, with several dogs at their heels. The procession continued noisily out the rear door and disappeared. The minister calmly cleared his throat, continued.

**WE THE WOMEN**

Ruth Millet Wonders What German Women Are Getting Out of Nazism's "Glory"

By RUTH MILLET

German women are dopes. The German men get something out of being cogs in Hitler's war machine. That is, the soldiers do—while they live.

They wear uniforms and goose-step and feel important. Even the humble clerk, turned into a soldier, can feel like a man of destiny.

And they eat well—the soldiers. And when they have leave, they have fun.

German Women Are Told

They are men playing a spectacular role in a showy drama. But what do German women get? They stay home and eat frugally, work like men, having nothing to wear, have no say-so about anything, not even about their own children.

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Since the influence of the home has been suppressed in favor of the influence of the state, women have lost their real importance in the world. They have but one function that is recognized as important—the function of breeding.

Living in a War Machine

Their men have no real time for them, belonging as they do to the state. And if a woman loves her husband, she goes through all the agony that women of any country or race go through when their men are off at war, facing death.

They haven't even the consolation that comes from thinking "When this war is over—then there will be peace." They are living in a country, but in a war machine. And if their country should win this war—it will only mean another war later.

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Nazi bombs are killing box office receipts in London, reports movie correspondent. Not to mention the folks who buy the tickets.

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Because he had 2 cents in his pocket a Syracuse man escaped a prison sentence on vagrancy charges. Many a local college boy will be glad to hear this.

We see where a reporter describes Gopher Sam Snead as pulling a match out of the fire. With a blazing finish, no doubt.

First they borrowed the swastika, now they adopt Indian attacks in air raids. Soon we can expect the Nazis to demand a plebiscite on our Navajo reservations.

**HIGHLIGHTS FROM LATEST BOOKS**

What Will Happen To You If U. S. Calls an M-Day

A great deal is being heard about "M-Day" and a great deal more is likely to be heard as the United States feverishly launches its great secret peacetime arms program. But what is M-Day, and what will it mean to the average citizen?

M-Day is simply the military abbreviation for the words Mobilization Day, meaning the hour when America is at war. What it will mean to Joe Q. Citizen is something else again. You get a pretty good idea in two little booklets just off the presses, "M-Day" by Leo M. Cherne (Simon and Schuster; \$1) and "M-Day—If War Comes" by Donald Ed-ward Keyhoe (Dutton; \$1).

**Tip From a Waitress**

PUEBLO, Colo. —(P)—Customers who would like to have the telephone number of one attractive Pueblo waitress don't have to ask for it. She wears it neatly engraved in the polish on her finger nails.

**Machine Sale**

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**Answer to Cranium Cracker**

Questions on Page One

1. Only natural born citizens are eligible for the presidency.
2. The president must be at least 35 years old.
3. The president's salary is \$75,000 a year.
4. If the electoral college fails to name a president, the House of Representatives chooses between the candidates.
5. No. The Constitution originally provided that the person receiving the second highest number of electoral votes for president should be vice president. Present system was the result of an amendment ratified in 1804.

**Doing It the Hard Way**

Doing It the Hard Way — WILLIAMSON, W. Va. —(P)—W. A. Vawter, playing bridge, picked up a perfect no-trump hand: Ace-king-queen of all suits. Vawter, railroad conductor, got so excited he hid six hearts, instead of a grand slam in no-trumps. He made it, as trumps weren't bunched against him.

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It is one thing to debate thoroughly and democratically the measures for the country's defense. It is another thing to carry this fall. If we are not, we ought to open an intensive recruiting campaign immediately.

As it is, we who do not. It would be wrong to do the universal service bill through on three days' notice. But it is doubly wrong to fiddle with it week after week, long after every pertinent thing has been said on both sides that is pertinent.

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## Demo Review Labor Problem

Wagner Says  
Wreckage Inherited  
From Republicans

By ROBERT F. WAGNER  
U. S. Senator From New York  
The American workers' creed is that he shall have an equitable share in the wealth he produces, and a right to be heard in the councils of the industry from which he draws his bread. This creed is as old as our country, but the Roosevelt administration has given it a national charter. Upon the economic wreckage inherited from the Republican party in 1933, we have re-established the foundations of opportunity, security and freedom for those who live by their labor.

Our first objective has been full employment in private enterprise at fair wages. From nine to ten million more persons are employed in private enterprise today than in March 1933, and factory workers have \$110,000,000 more in their weekly pay envelopes. Through our nation-wide system of employment offices, millions

of idle workers have been guided to available jobs. We have outlawed child labor in factories, enacted a sound wage-hour law, and enforced fair labor standards on government contracts. For the first time under federal men and women receive equal pay for equal work.

Our second objective has been the long-range security of the home and the family against the handicaps and hazards of modern industrial life. To provide every American worker with the frugal comforts of a decent home, we have launched a great program of slum clearance and low-rent housing. Unemployment insurance laws in every state now protect the worker and his family against privation in periods of temporary unemployment. Over 50 million accounts have been established to provide security as a matter of right under the Federal Old Age and Survivors' insurance system. Better health protection is the next great step in our social security program.

Our third objective has been to achieve a democracy in industry worthy of a free people. We have guaranteed by law the worker's right to organize and bargain collectively through representatives of his own choosing. The National Labor Relations act has provided a peaceful forum for 23,000 cases involving over 14 million workers. Nine out of every ten cases disposed of have been satisfactorily adjusted without even holding a formal hearing. More than one million employees have voted in thousands of peaceful labor elections. Ever since the act has had a fair chance to exert its pacific influence, collective bargaining agreements have multiplied and industrial strife has declined.

These measures have been part and parcel of a program of economic recovery for business, under which profits have multiplied and industrial production and national income raised to levels higher than in 1928. Because we have emphasized the human element in industry, labor is taking its rightful place as a partner of management in the common cause of industrial efficiency and national unity. To these broad advances should now be added the strengthening of our preparations for national defense. Employment exchanges, fair labor standards, collective bargaining and improved machinery for mediation of labor disputes, works projects and better housing were all found necessary for increased industrial efficiency during the World War period. They are serving the nation well today.

The Democratic party is pledged to hold fast to these gains in our economic efficiency, to defend our free institutions by preparedness against aggression from without, and to continue to stand guard on our true first line of defense at home—the security and welfare of the men, women and children of America.

### Maryland Motorists Tell on Themselves

BALTIMORE —(P)—Maryland drivers are going to mail a lot of postcards to the Federal Motor Vehicle Commissioner. "Short-form" reports, printed on postcards, will be filled in by motorists after all minor accidents.

### Gold Star For Silver

MEMPHIS, Tenn. —(P)—Mary's little lamb has nothing on young Jack Yarbrough's dog, Silver. Silver regularly accompanies his master to Sunday school, curling up under a chair while services proceed.

About 34 pounds of air a day are used by the average person.

## U. S. Not in War, Churchill

Prime Minister  
Speaks in Parli-  
ment Thursday

LONDON —(P)—Winston Churchill declared in parliament Thursday that the British-American exchange of destroyers and defense bases enabled the United States to "take danger by the throat whilst it was still hundreds of miles away"—but warned the British to remember that America was not in the war.

The Prime Minister, speaking for a while during a general London air raid alarm, declared, however, that Hitler "no doubt will pay the U. S. out if he ever gets the chance."

Churchill told the house of commons that no one must react to the British-American agreement anything more than is on its face and he stressed it did not affect "in the slightest degree the non-belligerency of the United States."

Churchill gave the British civilian air raid casualties for August as 1,075 dead and slightly more than that many wounded and said 800 houses were destroyed.

**Nazis Claim Victories**  
Berlin —(P)—Six British destroyers have been sunk recently by U-boats and torpedo boat flotillas the high command said Thursday as Hitler's Volkischer Beobachter, bellwether of the German press, declared that Britain's acquisition of 50 United States destroyers might be used "only to cover an eventual glorious retreat" to America.

A high rate of destruction of Britain's smaller warships was emphasized by the high command as German planes were striking hard at the British wharves loaded with stores of persons in raids Wednesday night on Berlin and other parts of Germany and reported to be centering the day attacks on airports in the suburbs of London.

**Italians Claim Victory**  
ROME —(P)—A series of furious naval and air engagements with British forces in which Italian motor torpedo boats participated "successfully" were reported in Africa and the Mediterranean by the Italian high command Thursday.

It told of British air and naval bombardments of Italian bases in the Dodecanese Islands and off the coast of Turkey and of Italian attacks on three British naval and merchant ship formations.

Six British naval ships were damaged by aerial bombs in two of these actions the command said and 17 British planes were destroyed.

## Revolt Pending for Mexico

But Government  
Denies Reports  
of Fighting

MEXICO CITY —(P)—Followers of Gen. Juan Andreu Almazan, the anti-administration president, issued a manifesto Wednesday carrying an implicit call to arms.

Fighting was rumored to be in progress already in the northern state of Durango, but the Ministry of National Defense said "All is quiet in Durango and the situation is under control." A national crisis clearly was near.

In a statement widely distributed, a man who claim to have been elected to congress on the Almazan ticket declared to the nation: "We shall utilize all the means which the law and the people grant us to save the country in this decisive hour."

Avila Camacho's office commented: "There is no crisis. The Almazanistas have finally revealed themselves as the paid servants of the oil companies against the interests of the Mexican people." A national crisis clearly was near.

"This manifesto as well as Almazan's declarations are merely giving him the rope with which to hang himself. The only damage will be to hurt Mexico by causing fear among the American people that it is dangerous to visit Mexico."

## Stocks Rise as Nazis Slow Up

Hitler's Forecast  
of "Long War"  
Spurs Exchange

NEW YORK —(P)—Stocks came out of their long summer slumber with a rush Wednesday and leading issues advanced \$1 to \$3 a share, in some cases more, making it one of the best upturns of the year.

Some believed Hitler's reminder to the German people he had once before called for preparations for a five-year war had strengthened belief that battle of Britain was going well for the Nazis. That the market was in a position to respond quickly to any favorable news was seen in the recent lack of offerings.

Barbados celebrated the 300th anniversary of its first elective assembly during the summer of 1939. The planet Jupiter is bigger and

## Torpedo Boat Rams Enemy

Tiny Mosquitoes  
Comb Channel  
for Enemy

By PAUL MANNING  
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

LONDON — Its exhaust roaring, Motor Torpedo Boat 10 sliced its way across the heavy waters of the English Channel at 2 o'clock one morning last week.

On the tiny bridge inside the metal cabin 23-year-old Lieut. James Terry Mannoch peered through the narrow windows into the darkness ahead, proud of his crew of youngsters, his torpedoes, depth charges, Lewis

guns and shining boat. Sitting almost on top of the steering, he shouted his orders through a small megaphone. Delicately the helmsman twisted the car-sized wheel to take the waves easier.

Down in the engine room three engines deafened the eardrums, made speech impossible.

Suddenly two German boats loomed out of the darkness, racing abreast toward some coast objective. Too close to release a torpedo, Lieutenant Mannoch shouted an order, his helmsman swerved the small craft into a trough between the two enemy ships, and with Lewis guns blazing, slowed into the side of one of the German boats. But the enemy ship, wrenching away, raced off into the night.

Motor Torpedo Boat 10, its front stove in, limped slowly back to the naval base.

This adventure, multiplied many times during the course of a night by other M. T. boats, shows the dash which these young veterans of the British mosquito fleet are employing

in their daily sweep of the mine-dotted channel. But colorful though the flotillas may be, motor torpedo boats during the past months of war have proved themselves to be a vastly overrated sea weapon.

Prior to the outbreak of war in September, 1939, fabulous claims were made in their behalf. And because a flotilla could be built for the price of one destroyer, many predicted that more torpedo boats and fewer big ships would be built.

Italy, pointing to a sea victory of the last war when an Italian M. T. B. sped into the Adriatic harbor of Pola and sank an Austrian battle cruiser, constructed more than a hundred of the boats.

Britain in 1937 also started to build the flashy little speed-boats. But, unlike Italy, England did not forget that it is the great lumbering dreadnaught which wins the decisive sea battles.

In their role of patrolling the sea lanes of the channel against U-boats and small German E-boats, the motor

torpedo boat is excellent. But in the open seas they cannot stand on their own. Like light whippet tanks they will not stand up under hard war-time use without constant and skilled attention. They must be frequently hauled up on the shipways for repainting and conditioning if they are to last.

Add with the Battle for Britain now under way, that is an operation which is only occasionally possible.

He has partly or completely dis-

## Britain's Royal

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don't Evening Standard, advocating greater community organization. By sending against London and main industrial centers small sections of the German air force during night air raids Hitler has achieved results.

He has immobilized a considerable part of Britain's industrial production.

organized a vast number of... But the man in the street... Said one London Bobby... won't lose. She has a great... the best navy in the world... every civilian knows it. It's a matter of time until we smash Germany... They may scramble a little... ing sleep, but it's more of a nuisance than anything.

## Help Build up Resistance to FEMALE FUNCTIONAL COMPLAINTS

Try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to help relieve monthly pain, headaches, backaches, etc. Also calm irritable, restless nerves due to such functional disorders. Pinkham's Compound is a truly marvelous remedy for such weak, tired women. Try it!

# We're Out To Win New Friends

We're out to make new friends this fall and we're backing up our campaign with the finest stock of men's clothing in history. Our stock is the most complete ever, the woolens used are from the finest looms, the styling is geared to the highest pitch. We can fit 99 out of every 100 men that walk into our store. Come in and see for yourself, there's no obligation to buy — but you'll want to when you see ROBISON'S stock of fall suits.

## Do You Go For Style That's "Up-to-the-Minute"?

ROBISON'S stock of fall clothes were styled by the designers who help create the fashions in men's clothing. The style MUST be right!

## Do You Want Woolens That Hold Their Shape?

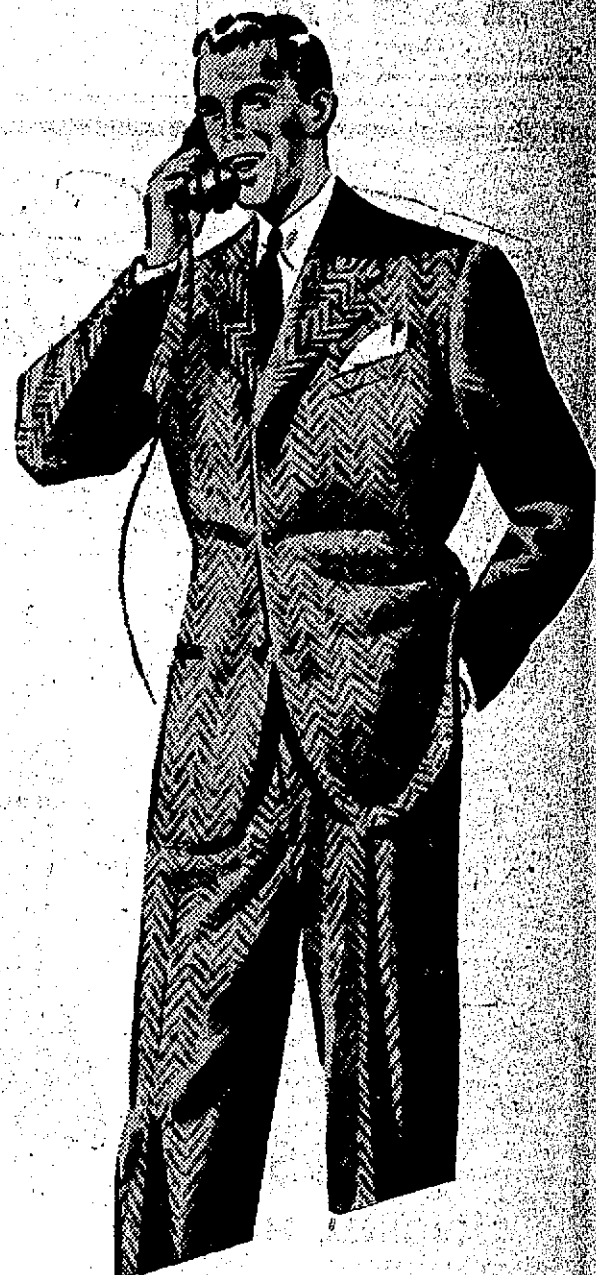
Choice of fabrics, and experience in tailoring combine to give you a suit that will forever hold its shape. A suit from ROBISON'S must hold its shape.

## Do You Want a Fit Like The Paper On a Wall?

You can't expect suits cut over a single model to fit every man. ROBISON'S stock includes regulars, longs, shorts, long stouts, stouts, short stouts. We can fit YOU.

## Do You Want Extra Long Wear At Low Cost?

The fall suit you buy at ROBISON'S is tailored of woolens from the very finest looms. Every fabric MUST give satisfactory wear.



## Curlee Clothes

Our new CURLEE suits for Fall are "Tops" in smart masculine styling — in choice of fabrics — in workmanship. These facts are obvious to every man who sees them. But only men who wear Curlee's realize the "Hidden" values that are built into every Curlee suit. Expert styling, skilled tailoring, careful selection and testing for Quality of all fabrics and inner materials to insure maximum wear.

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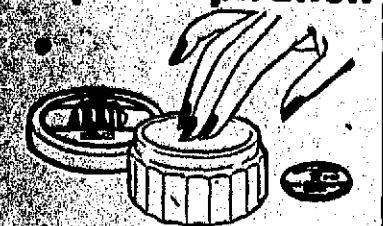
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## Chorus Girl For 22 Years

**Jeanne Gustavison Has no Thought of Retirement**

AP Feature Service

ST. LOUIS — Jeanne Gustavison has been a chorus girl for 22 years. She gives retirement no thought.

From high school she entered the singing chorus of St. Louis' municipal opera in the year of its birth, 1918, and has appeared every season since. She frequently has small roles outside the chorus.

Stagehands and stars call her "Gussie." A director would no more exclude her from a production than an Englishman would pass up tea.

Gussie sings deep contralto. When not busy on the stage, Gussie knits sweaters for a hobby.

She lives at home with her mother and sister.

"I never struggled to get ahead," she says. "I've seen some of the really great ones go and make a hit, then disappear. Nobody knows what becomes of them. They spend the big money they make putting up a front. Between times they are broke and looking for work. I'd rather have steady pay, though small."

## SERIAL STORY LOVE ON THE LINE

BY PAUL FRIGGENS

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YESTERDAY, Mark took the townpeople out to fight the prairie fire. He realized the time had come when he should have been a hero. With the windstorm sweeping in from the east, flames leaped across the creek. The rain came to the north. If Carrie had not left her claim she may be trapped.

### CHAPTER X

IT still was dark when Carrie, in her heart pounding in her throat, dressed and started across the prairie to Taylor's. To the east, the fire was etched red against the blackness where the night met the land. Carrie, watching it as she stumbled along, imagined it grew brighter, came more swiftly toward her.

Carrie never knew just how she found Taylor's soddy, except that suddenly the house loomed up a black blob in the night. She ran the last hundred yards, reached the door, pounded loudly, calling, "Mrs. Taylor! Mr. Taylor!" Then there was a stirring inside and a shuffling of feet and big Ed's voice boomed through the open window, "Who's there?"

Carrie did not answer. The last she remembered was that someone was bending over her and that she was lying down and that the fire on the horizon had turned, suddenly, into utter blackness.

WITH night, the realization of Carrie's peril overwhelmed Mark. The wind that had roared in on the first wings of the storm was spent now, but the after-blow was still strong. It whipped and eddied and fanned the flames until the fighting was almost hopeless. Mark looked behind once, saw the wind had dropped blazing tufts of grass where he had just beaten out the fire. He was certain it had leaped Rock Creek. It must have, in the first tornadoic push of that storm. Yet there was no way of knowing.

After the first, sudden shock of the storm was over, the men had resumed their hopeless battle. They fought the fire with sacks, beat to shreds, with broken shovels. Faces were black with smoke, scorched. Mark straightened up once, paused in his beating, and felt his feet blistered in his boots.

Someone was calling them together. They could not stop the fire on this side of Rock Creek. It had leaped the creek. They were going to backfire, to try to stop it on the other side. And then Mark recognized the voice of Ed Taylor!

"Taylor? What was Taylor doing here? Taylor, who should have

been with the women; Taylor, who should have taken Carrie and his wife to town at the first sign of danger.

Suddenly, Mark realized that Ed Taylor, of course, would be fighting the fire. Taylor lived on Rock Creek. The fire had swept toward his home from the start. Taylor would be one of the first to fight it. But where was Carrie? With a shudder Mark thought of her.

He groped through the smoke in the direction of Taylor's voice, approached a grizzled, commanding figure. It was big Ed. The men were gathering around him. Taylor was speaking.

"If we catch it in the slow grass, we're all right. If we don't," He stopped, recognizing Mark. "Mark, for God's sake, have you seen the women?"

"Have you seen the women?" Together they asked the same question, almost in the same breath, seemed to slinger there with the knowledge neither knew.

"Have I seen 'em?" Taylor rallied. "No, ain't you, Mark? Last I seen 'em was this morning after Carrie came."

"Carrie? She reached your place?" Mark cut in excitedly.

"Yeh, she reached it 'n' that's about all. Mark, faintly cold at the door. First thing we knew about the fire was then. We got her to, an' I hiked out. I told them, then, to hold off going to town unless it got worse, but to keep the team handy. God, Mark, they must've got out by this time."

BUT Mark Deuel knew what Ed Taylor feared, what he was thinking, what both of them were thinking but were afraid to say. Instinctively, the men recognized the truth in each other's faces and shrank from it.

Perhaps the women had not escaped at all! The quiet of the day might have put them off guard. Ed had told them to keep the team handy to go into town if the fire should become worse. But it hadn't become worse. It had slowed down, instead, and the women, watching across the creek, must have noticed that.

Then the storm had struck, undoing in five seconds the work of the whole day, carrying the flames clear across Rock Creek and straight toward the homesteaders. Had the women become panicky in that first frightful moment? Were they able to handle the horses and get them hitched up in the wind and lightning? Had they started to town on foot, or were they even now caught in

the hell of that shifting, ever-widening prairie fire?

IN that moment Ed Taylor was yelling for a horse. A boy came running with one out of the darkness and Mark swung up into the saddle. There was only one horse, the boy shouted, the others had broken away in the storm. Big Ed was yelling, "Mark, find the women if it's the last thing you do!"

Mark kicked the horse into a run, raced into the darkness to circle the fire and cross Rock Creek below the point where the flames leaped the stream.

As he rode, he realized suddenly the odds against him. In the darkness he could not hope to find Carrie and Mrs. Taylor, since they would not take the usual road to town along the creek. It would be too late to try that route now.

But he could find out if they'd left with the team. If the wagon was gone, it would mean the women had escaped.

It was two miles around the fire's edge to the crossing below Carrie's. Mark splashed his horse into the cool, shallow water, would have dashed across, but the horse, foam-flecked, thirsty, forced its head down and drank feverishly. To Mark that pause seemed interminable. Seconds later he was splashing up the other side and along the creek bank toward Carrie's.

With breathless satisfaction he noted the fire was burning slower in the creek bottom, choling somewhat on the thickness of the tall, green sedge grass. But it was gaining a headway, nevertheless, was less than a quarter mile from the soddy, probably even closer to Taylor's. Mark swung up the little knoll to Carrie's soddy, and knew instantly she was not there.

Quickly, Mark turned his horse away from the soddy, raced that last mile across the prairie to Taylor's claim. He saw the dim outlines of Taylor's soddy and makeshift barn. The fire was much closer here, advancing swiftly in the short, dry grass.

He galloped up to the soddy, slid off his horse, shouted: "Carrie! Mrs. Taylor!"

There was no answer. Mark felt a sudden, vast relief. They were gone! They had escaped!

Then he saw the wagon, overturned, by the dugout cellar. Frantic, he ran toward it, on to the barn. With a sudden, sickening sensation he saw the storm had ripped the corner off, taken part of the barn roof. The flames were still tied in their stalls.

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Call to Colors of Men's Style

1940 Styles Will Be Colorful and Flashy

By ADELAID KERR

AP Feature Service Writer

Here's news in men's fall fashions that may give you heart if you've been complaining about the drab look and sameness of your man's clothes.

One of New York's leading Fifth Avenue tailors says they're going to show more originality, color and dash. He calls them "Yankee styles," reflecting more independence and originality and less influence from London's Saville Row. He says all this is a result of the war and "men's resentment against regimentation."

Some of his predictions for 1940-41: Some of the new dinner suits will be colored—dark green, burgundy and deep blue.

A snappy version of the "director's suit" will be worn instead of the cut-away by lots of smart metropolitan.

Fall business suits will show color in such materials as Glenurquhart plaids and cluster striped chevrons.

Golf knickers are coming back in a new guise. This particular tailor is admittedly a color enthusiast, but he has started some trends and what he says bears weight.

This is the way he suggests men should dress for dinner:

Instead of the dead black dinner suit and wing-collared shirt, a dinner suit of light blue with a pastel blue shirt, having a wide starched, turn-down collar and cuffs. Blue-purplish and sapphire studs. As an alternative he offers a very dark green suit with a white or pale green shirt and emerald studs. Coats can have college-color linings—Princeton orange Yale blue, Harvard crimson or Dartmouth green.

The new director's suit for Sundays, meetings, cocktails and weddings has a blue sack coat, short double-breasted waistcoat of dull gray or blue to match the coat and blue striped trousers. A dark blue Homburg hat tops it.

New Colored Shirts Business suits of Glenurquhart plaids or brown chevrons with dull green or purple cluster stripes are not so hectic as they sound. Colors are subdued, but they're there. So are a lot of black and gray combinations and blue weaves.

Lots of new shirts are colored—soft blues, tans and greens—and cut with starched pleated bosoms. Smart combination this year is going to be a brown suit with a soft green shirt. Newest hats roll off the face.

The 1940 version of the golf knicker has open legs and no knee buckles.

Denmark has 3326 miles of railways within its confines.

The whiskers of goats are being used in carpet manufacturing.

LETTERS to the Editor

This is your newspaper. Write to it. Letters criticizing the editorial policy or commenting upon facts in the news columns, are equally welcome. Choose a topic everyone will be interested in. Be brief. Avoid personal abuse. The world's greatest critics were painfully polite. Every writer must sign his name and address.

The Schools

Editor "The Star": A good many years ago when my children were attending the public school I was elected school director. And during my service we built the negro school beyond the grave-yard and enlarged the negro school, bought Brookwood School from the Catholics, one down the High School on Main street, built the school house where the courthouse is now sitting, and bought the lot where Paisley school now sits.

When they moved the high school from Main Street the board insisted that they should maintain at least a number of rooms for the small children which they did and we paid for PPAISley School lot for the express purpose of having a school for small children close to their homes. And the last two years you have cut out the children's room in the Brookwood school and also the school room where the courthouse now stands. You are compelling the small children from Ward 1 to cross the highways and railroads and go numerous blocks to get to Paisley school.

In Ward 4 you are compelling the children from Hazel street all the way to Paisley school. A six year old child has to walk from 6 to 10 block to get to the schools that he is compelled to go to. And still the intention of our board was to locate four schools in the four different parts of town for the express purpose of giving our

children an opportunity to start in school.

Our present teachers have automobiles to ride in and we have had extra teachers employed to watch the kids at play at recess and noon hour. We are spending all kinds of money on football, parties, exhibitions, band music and other recreations for the High School as well as extra clerks and we people who are paying poll tax and own property and the 2 cents sales tax feel that you ought, by all means, for at least the first two grades and let those small children attend the nearest school to them.

I wish that you would visit each and every Sunday School room, especially the Christian and Gospel Tabernacle new building and see what all of the churches are doing in the town of Hope to take care of the little children. Just think how a mother feels when her little six year old child is in school and a storm comes and has to come home across the railroad and the city traffic. It is an outrage. And us spending so much money on the older children. Trucks going out in the country bringing the children in school at the expense of the school board which is all right and proper but only 20 per cent of our children that go to school graduate.

The taxpayers have a right to the free school and it should be made to conform to the needs of the little child. The main thing in life is to get started and when they get older they can demand what is coming to them. It is the duty of the citizenship to look after them.

When my children graduated at the High School I got off the board and asked them to elect some one who had children in school in my place, which they did.

I am asking all of you to investigate my statements and get in behind the school board and demand that we have a small children's school in the first four grades in the four quarters of Hope.

I have nothing but the kindest feelings for all of the school board, the superintendent, and teachers but I see the real need and I know that by a different arrangement what I have suggested can be complied without

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COREBOARD

Games in Which Varsity Plays Professionals are Hypocritical Indictment of Amateurism and Spirit of College Athletics

By HARRY GRAYSON

NEA Service Sports Editor

All-Star games in early September make fine spectacles and are good promotions, but they are bad for football, which was meant to be confined to schools.

They cause future careers to be deluged and never carried out... college stars change their minds about plans and sign professional contracts.

Say the youngsters has prepared for medicine, engineering or law at a distant institution. A nationwide ballot names him as a member of the squad to battle the Green Bay Packers in Chicago.

He receives a congratulatory telegram, a round trip ticket and a check far in excess of what it will cost him to make the junket.

He works out for a few days with an enthusiastic squad... under a strange coach, who like himself was elected, is doing a favor and isn't too concerned about the outcome of the contest.

The boy next appears under the lights before 85,000 people. Opposite him are hardened professionals... being paid.

"How long has this been going on?" he asks himself, and the next thing you know a Curly Lambeau or a Jack Mara has him signed.

The pay of most professional football players is surprisingly small, but it is enough to tide a young man over until another season rolls around. He intends to resume his studies, but most of them never get around to that.

"They go on until they haven't a leg to stand on, and then are tossed out in the world to do the best they can."

Games played so early and in such unseasonable weather leave players open to injuries... especially the draftees, who have yet to master the wrestler falls of the more experienced.

There are too many all-star games, and none prove a decided thing as far as superiority is concerned.

The wonder is why the colleges permit their coaches to take a hand in them.

In which college boys tackle professionals, are a hypocritical indictment of amateurism and the spirit of intercollegiate athletics.

Recently, a Norwegian whaler caught a whale which bore in its body a harpoon of the type used more than 40 years ago.

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